

**BOURBON COUNTY, KS**

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1,997	1,992	1,987
<b>Farms</b>			
Number	805	781	842
Acreage	329,461	337,300	318,958
Average size (acres)	409	432	379
Median size (acres)	190	N	N
<b>Estimated market value average per farm</b>			
Land/buildings (dollars)	212,173	165,240	145,606
Machinery/equip (dollars)	36,304	29,679	22,346
<b>Cropland (acres)</b>			
Total	158,334	182,214	167,985
Harvested	97,867	101,306	90,939
Irrigated	D	301	763
<b>Agricultural products sold - market value</b>			
(\$1,000)	29,604	27,075	23,062
(dollars avg. per farm)	36,775	34,667	27,389
<b>Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm</b>			
(dollars average)	8,270	3,069	4,026
<b>Livestock inventory (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	58,572	49,854	46,580
Beef cows	23,609	21,386	17,494
Milk cows	696	938	1,461
Hogs and pigs	3,275	5,833	7,261
Sheep and lambs	346	329	721
Layers 13 wks or/older	624	D	2,247
Broilers and chicken (sold)	D	0	0
<b>Harvested commodities (acres)</b>			
Corn, grain or seed	4,797	5,967	5,937
Corn, silage or green chop	520	531	1,039
Sorghum, grain or seed	8,743	8,909	12,311
Wheat	6,973	17,844	3,442
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	658	1,592	1,434
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	N	N	N
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	34,878	32,810	32,777
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	46,558	41,174	36,721
<b>Vegetables</b>			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

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<b>Orchards</b>			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

**Abbreviations/footnotes:**

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture